

**Attachment G-1 2003 Executive Summary**

City of Renton

Lake Washington Trail South Lake Connector



# **2003 Park, Recreation, and Open Space Implementation Plan**



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## Attachment G-2 2003 Executive Summary

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### SPECIFIC RECOMMENDATIONS:



#### **Sam Chastain Waterfront Trail (Lake Washington Trail and Habitat Enhancement)**

**Priority: High**

**Type: Development**



The existing Cedar River Trail serves as a major link between the civic center complex and other parts of the city. This 4.5-mile linear park is a very significant part of the City's park and open space system because of its waterfront access on the Cedar River. The trail is used extensively for walking, jogging and bicycling.

There are a variety of opportunities for both active and passive activities along the trail. Most of the highly developed area of this trail system is found at the northern section, near Lake Washington. Facilities found there include a basketball court, exercise stations, boat launch, plaza, picnic area and children's play area.

An over-water trail connection between the boathouse and Gene Coulon Memorial Beach Park (Sam Chastain Waterfront Trail) would provide trail access from the north end of Coulon park to the eastern City limits at Ron Regis Park. It is also an amenity that has been frequently requested by the citizens. The trail connection would be approximately 1 mile in length and be constructed on floats, piling and land. Recommend that the City continue working with Boeing, the Department of Natural Resources and Southport to obtain the easements and right of ways necessary to complete this project.

#### **Sartori School**

**Priority: Medium**

**Type: Development**



This 3.3-acre site is located between 3rd and 4th Streets and between Garden and Park Avenues. The site is presently being used by Renton Technical College. The intended use for this site is to develop a daytime recreation area for mixed use, residential, and industrial area employees. The intent is to provide a paved area, landscaping, picnic areas, children's playground, and some open play areas. Facilities could include:

- Picnic area
- Landscaped areas
- Playground equipment
- Formal seating areas
- Multi-purpose open grass areas